

# Our Town

Town of Burgaw Weekly Newsletter | July 26-30, 2021



## Town Calendar

**August 5 | 8:30 AM**

Tourism Development  
Authority Meeting

**August 10 | 4:30 PM**

Board of Commissioners  
Meeting

**August 13 | 4:00 PM**

Cram the Cruiser School  
Supply Giveaway

**August 17 | 5:30 PM**

Police Advisory Board  
Meeting

**August 18 | 9:00 AM**

Senior Activities Interest  
Meeting

**August 19 | 5:30 PM**

Planning & Zoning Board  
Meeting and Special  
Board of Adjustment  
Meeting

**August 20 | 6:00 PM**

Family Bingo Night

## Stay In Touch!



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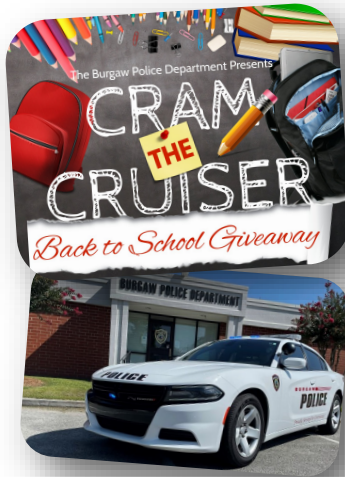
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109 N. Walker Street

## Police Department's annual Cram the Cruiser event coming in August

The Burgaw Police Department will be holding its annual Cram the Cruiser Back to School Giveaway in August. Children will receive a backpack full of school supplies. If you would like to pick up school supplies by August 6th, you may visit the Burgaw Police Department to fill out an application. The drive-thru event will occur on August 13th from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM, or until supplies run out. Top Dog Hotdogs will be on site at the Burgaw Police Department this day. Children must be present at the event to receive supplies. For more information, please contact the Burgaw Police Department at 910-259-4924 or the Burgaw Parks, Recreation & Tourism Department at 910-300-6401.



## Do you have what it takes to solve this 1920s murder mystery?

Dress in your best 1920s outfit and join the Town of Burgaw and the North Carolina Blueberry Festival for dinner, drinks, and a show. Tickets are now available starting at \$50.00 per person or \$90.00 per couple. This event will take place on September 25th starting at 6:00 pm. Participants must be 18 years or older. Register at [burgawnc.gov/mystery](http://burgawnc.gov/mystery) or contact the Parks, Recreation & Tourism office for more information at (910) 300-6401 or email [recreation@burgawnc.gov](mailto:recreation@burgawnc.gov).

**BUY YOUR TICKETS TODAY—YOU WILL  
NOT WANT TO MISS OUT ON THIS EVENT!**

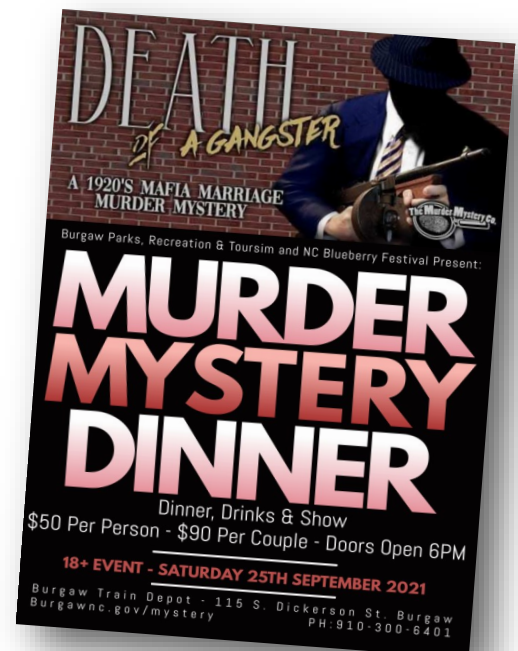
SAVE THE DATE  
FOR OUR NEXT

Family  
**BINGO**  
NIGHT

**AUGUST 20**

HISTORIC  
TRAIN DEPOT

REGISTER NOW AT  
[BURGAWNC.GOV/BINGO](http://BURGAWNC.GOV/BINGO)



# What's COOKING IN OUR TOWN



Easy Breakfast Quesadillas

## You Will Need

- 6 eggs
- 1/4 c. milk
- Salt and pepper to taste
- 1/2 green pepper, diced
- 4 Tbsp. unsalted butter, divided
- 6 slices bacon, cooked, drained and roughly chopped
- 3/4 c. shredded cheddar cheese, divided
- 6 medium soft tortilla shells

## Directions

1. In a medium bowl, whisk eggs, milk, salt and pepper. Add green peppers and stir to combine. Set aside.
2. In a large skillet, melt 2 tablespoons butter over medium heat. Add egg mixture and cook until no longer runny, stirring often. Remove eggs to separate plate.
3. In the same skillet (wipe if needed), melt 2 tablespoons butter over medium heat. Place one tortilla shell in middle of pan.
4. Top with 1/4 cup cheese, leaving a 1/2 inch border around tortilla. Spread eggs in an even layer on top of cheese, followed by bacon and sprinkling more cheese, if desired.
5. Place second tortilla shell on top of egg mixture and lightly press down. Heat for 2-3 minutes on both sides, or until shell is slightly golden and cheese is melted. Repeat remaining tortilla shells. Serve immediately.

## Have a favorite recipe you would like to share with your community?

Send it in and we will feature a seasonal recipe in *Our Town!* Recipes can be sent to the Town Clerk at [kwells@burgawnc.gov](mailto:kwells@burgawnc.gov) or drop off at Town Hall.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

The following **public hearings** will be held on **Tuesday, August 10, 2021 at 5:30 PM** (or thereabout) during the regular Board of Commissioners Meeting at the Historic Train Depot, located at 115 S. Dickerson Street in Burgaw, NC. ***All interested parties are invited to attend; written and oral comments are welcome.***

**Public Hearing #1.** Consideration of a requested text amendment by Tulani Lyon to enable the keeping of Chickens including staff suggested changes to the Municipal Code Section 4-7 and UDO text amendments to Sections 8.14 Table of Permitted and Special Uses, 8.15 Use Standards and 17.2 Definitions.

**Public Hearing #2.** Consideration of a UDO text amendment Section 8.13 footnote 7 to resolve a conflict in the accessory structure location referenced in Section 8.15: Use Standards, Accessory Structure/Building. (RA, R-20, R-12, R-7, R-7MH, PUD, O&I, B-1, B-2, I-1, I-2)

## STAY ALERT, INFORMED AND SAFE



We encourage our citizens to always make sure to stay aware by following us on Facebook and our website for important updates regarding severe weather and town emergencies. Town staff urges our citizens to sign up with CodeRED Emergency Notifications. This program is free and easy to sign up. You have the options to enter your phone numbers and/or email address to receive critical notifications from the town, such as severe weather alerts, important information, boil water advisories, etc. Sign up today by visiting our website at [BurgawNC.gov](http://BurgawNC.gov), click "I want to" menu at the top of the homepage, then click "Sign up for CodeRED Emergency Notifications." You may contact Town Hall at 259-2151 for questions or assistance.

## Police Department's R-U-Okay Program available to residents

Burgaw Police Department staff would like to remind the Town of Burgaw residents and family members of the *R-U-Okay?* Program. The program calls individuals weekly to check their safety and security. The program is open to Burgaw residents who are elderly, shut ins, or just could use someone to check in on them throughout the week. Those individuals are also notified during inclement weather conditions such as hurricanes or ice storms of safety concerns. If you or a family member are interested in being added to the program, please contact the Burgaw Police Department at 910-259-4924.



# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

**Patrol Officer** – The Burgaw Police Department is currently seeking applicants for the position of Patrol Officer. All applicants must be BLET certified and possess good public relation skills. Base salary is \$41,971 (depending upon education and training). Excellent benefit package. A current notarized F-3 from NC Criminal Justice Training and Standard Division should also be completed. Position open through 5:00PM on August 6 2021.

**Streets & Landscape Maintenance Worker**– The Town of Burgaw is seeking a Public Works Streets & Landscape Maintenance Worker. Possession of a valid North Carolina driver's license required; North Carolina Class B CDL driver's license is preferred. This position works under the general supervision of the Streets & Landscape Superintendent and performs general maintenance and landscape design installations as well as maintenance, repair and construction work on streets and sidewalks for the Town of Burgaw. Salary starting at \$28,438. Excellent benefit package. Position open through 5:00PM August 10, 2021.

**Water & Sewer Maintenance Worker**– The Town of Burgaw is seeking a Public Works Water & Sewer Maintenance Worker. Possession of a valid North Carolina driver's license required; North Carolina Class B CDL driver's license is preferred. This position works under the general supervision of the Water and Sewer Superintendent and performs various semi-skilled manual labor tasks and functions related to the Town's water and sewer lines and appurtenances. Salary starting at \$30,158. Excellent benefit package. Position open through 5:00PM August 10, 2021.

**Qualified applicants may pick up applications and a detailed job description at the Town of Burgaw Municipal Building located at 109 N. Walker St, Burgaw NC or download from town website at [www.burgawnc.gov](http://www.burgawnc.gov). Please return completed applications to Kimberly Rivenbark at 109 N. Walker Street, Burgaw, NC 28425 or [krivenbark@burgawnc.gov](mailto:krivenbark@burgawnc.gov). EOE**

*We are*  
**HIRING!!!**

*Join us!*



## Senior Activities Interest Meeting

Burgaw Parks, Recreation & Tourism will be hosting a *Senior Activities Interest Meeting* at the Burgaw Community House on Wednesday, August 18th beginning at 9:00 AM.

All adults ages 55 or better are invited to enjoy coffee and donuts and discuss senior programs you would like to see in town.

For more information, please contact 910-661-3100.



## TOWN WIDE MOSQUITO SPRAYING

We would like to remind our residents if you have beehives or other sensitive wildlife that can be affected by the chemicals used in mosquito spraying, please let us know by emailing your name, address, and phone number to [cabbood@burgawnc.gov](mailto:cabbood@burgawnc.gov) so we can add your address to the 'no-spray' areas.

For questions or concerns, please call 259-2901.

# 2021 Town of Burgaw Meeting Schedule

All meetings are held at the Historic Train Depot, located at 115 S. Dickerson Street, Burgaw, unless otherwise posted.

Meeting agendas can be found on the town's website at [BurgawNC.gov](http://BurgawNC.gov).

Notices for cancelations and special called meetings will be posted on the town's website and weekly newsletter when necessary.

For questions or assistance, please contact the Town Clerk at 910-663-3441 or [kwells@burgawnc.gov](mailto:kwells@burgawnc.gov).

## Board of Commissioners Meetings

Second Tuesday of every month | 4:30 PM  
Public Forum/Public Hearings at 5:30 PM

## Planning & Zoning Board Meetings

Third Thursday of every month | 5:30 PM

## Burgaw Area Tourism Development Authority

First Thursday of every month | 8:30 AM

## Parks & Recreation Advisory Committee

Second Monday of January, March, May, July, September, November | 5:30 PM

## Police Advisory Board

Third Tuesday of February, May, August, November | 5:30 PM



## Town Hall

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Burgaw, NC 28425  
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[www.burgawnc.gov](http://www.burgawnc.gov)

## Office Hours

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
Monday-Friday

## Utilities

663-3445

## Parks & Town Events

300-6401

## Human Resources

663-3444

## Permitting & Inspections

663-3452

## Public Works Department

259-2901

## Police Department

Non-Emergency  
259-4924

## Fire Department

Non-Emergency  
259-7494

## Elected & Appointed Officials

### Mayor

Kenneth T. Cowan

### Mayor Pro Tem

Wilfred Robbins

### Commissioners

Jan Dawson  
James Murphy  
Bill George  
Vernon Harrell

### Town Manager

James H. Gantt

### Town Clerk

Kristin J. Wells

### Town Attorney

Zachary Rivenbark

## 2021 RECYCLING SCHEDULE

EAST side of Railroad      WEST side of Railroad  
Right-of-way                      Right-of-way

July 14	July 7
July 28	July 21
August 11	August 4
August 25	August 18
September 8	September 1
September 22	September 15
October 6	September 29
October 20	October 13
November 3	October 27
November 17	November 10
December 1	November 24
December 15	December 8
December 29	December 22

*"Railroad Right-of-way" is the Train Depot at 115 S. Dickerson Street*

## Stay IN THE KNOW

Sign up with "Notify Me" on our website to receive the weekly newsletter and other important information directly to your email and/or via text message!

Visit [BurgawNC.gov](http://BurgawNC.gov) to sign up today!

## BURGAW, NC

### T-Shirts & License Tags

Stop by today to purchase a Burgaw, NC t-shirt and a license tag for just \$10 each. Available for purchase Monday-Friday, 8am-5pm at Town Hall, 109 N. Walker Street.

*Provided by the Burgaw Tourism Development Authority*



## Public Works Emergency Response Number

**PHONE # 910-470-0457**

This phone is only answered after hours, between 4:30 PM - 7:30 AM, and is for water and sewer **emergencies only**. Unless Public Works has been given prior Notice from Town Hall, Public Works **cannot turn your water on due to non-payment shut off**.